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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK


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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	
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-against-	:	24-CR-279 (VEC)
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JUAN MERCADO,	:	<u>ORDER</u>
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Defendant.	:	
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VALERIE CAPRONI, United States District Judge:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that by no later than 5:00 P.M on September 30, 2024, Defendant must file a letter indicating whether he wants a *Fatico* hearing on the question of whether Defendant ever demanded a bribe or made paying a bribe a precondition to the assignment of new work or payment for work already performed.

SO ORDERED.

Date: September 29, 2024
New York, NY



VALERIE CAPRONI
United States District Judge